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Interview Summary

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All participants (applicant, applicant's representative, PTO personnel):

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Date of Interview: 16 June 2008

Type: a) ☒ Telephonic b) ☐ Video Conference

c) ☐ Personal (copy given to: 1) ☐ applicant 2) ☐ applicant's representative

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) ☐ Yes e) ☒ No.

If Yes, brief description: _____

Claim(s) discussed: 1

Identification of prior art discussed: Heldreth et al. (US Patent 6,942,670).

Agreement with respect to the claims f) ☒ was reached. g) ☐ was not reached. h) ☐ N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: Representative for applicant submitted proposed claim amendments by FAX in preparation for the interview. Examiner stated that the claim amendments would be sufficient to overcome the 102 rejection in the office action dated 3/19/2008. Additional considerations were considered to move case towards allowance, but examiner stated that applicant should formally submit arguments for any pending rejections for further consideration and review.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

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/JAMES L SWIGER/
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